



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 916**

LCO No. 2567

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:  
SEN. MEYER, 12th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPAL RESTRICTION OF LAWN CARE  
PESTICIDES.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General  
Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that a municipality
- 2 may restrict the use of pesticides for the cosmetic care of lawn and turf,
- 3 provided such restriction is at least as restrictive as the classification by
- 4 the Commissioner of Environmental Protection. Such provision shall
- 5 not include pesticide use on lawns and turf for purposes of protection
- 6 of the public health from pests, including, but not limited to,
- 7 mosquitoes, ticks and stinging insects.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To allow municipalities to restrict the use of pesticides used for the  
cosmetic care of lawn and turf.